

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Gladwin *et al.*

Application No. 10/563,683

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Confirmation No. 3225

For: USE OF NITRITE SALTS FOR THE
TREATMENT OF CARDIOVASCULAR
CONDITIONS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This responds to the Office action dated October 15, 2008. A three-month period for reply was set. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time, and submit the required fee by EFS, making a response due on or before **March 15, 2009**. If additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby granted permission to deduct those fees from Deposit Account 02-4550.

Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4, and end on page 12.

Wanstall *et al.* (*Brit. J. Pharma.* 134:463-472, 2001) (10 pages) is submitted herewith as **Exhibit A**.